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#### **AMENDMENT**

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In response to the NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121) dated September 20, 2005, please find a listing of claims for the aboveidentified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

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